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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Customer Number: 20277

Tsuyoshi EBUCHI, et al.

Confirmation Number: 6358

Application No.: 10/716,615

Group Art Unit: 2819

Filed: November 20, 2003

Examiner: CHO, James Hyonchol

For: RECEIVER CIRCUIT

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A telephone interview was conducted on September 18, 2006, with respect to the response to the final Office Action dated April 21, 2006. During the interview, Applicants agreed to cancel claim 15, as well as claims 2, 4, 6-9, 12 and 14 withdrawn from consideration, and Examiner Cho confirmed that the July 21, 2006 Amendment would be entered, and an Examiner's amendment would be implemented to cancel the above mentioned claims to place the present application in condition for allowance. Examiner Cho indicated that a Notice of Allowance would be issued shortly.

Applicants would like to acknowledge, with appreciation, Examiner Cho's courtesy and professionalism in conducting the telephone interview.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, **Application No.: 10/716,615**

including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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